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FEDERAL TROOPS TRAIL MEXICAN REBEL CHIEF

Gen. Reyes, Who Denounces "Spurious" Government, in Danger of Capture.

about twenty-five miles east y Capt. Fe.ipe Prieto, in n search of the alleged rebel dren.

Reyes escaped from the Vigo ranch near here, Saturday afternoon, successfully eluding troops and scouting par-Prieto is pressing forward possible speed in an endeavor

this part of the country. It purports of Tamaulipas, at which place the original proclamation was issued a few

Calls Government "Spurious."

The new one reads in part, as fol-

"The undersigned will assume the citle of provisional president, with power to make war on the spurious existing administration until such time as the revolution shall triumph, after which, taking into his council the leaders of his movement, he will name a baskets. Tickets were given out before-president ad interim, who shall convoke general elections.

exercise their several duties, sounded by the military commander of highest rank operating in their respective states. In such states the authorities of which shall resist this platform or be in any way hostile to it the political and military head will be an officer of highest rank, and should there be two or more cided by rules of military precedence. may not be elected. The military head of a state shall

No Trouble to Get Titles.

"Civilians recruiting troops in districts in which there is no military commander to confer rank on them may assume a rank corresponding to the number of in the revolution will enjoy their ranks so long as the revolution may last, and on being mustered out will be given a certificate by the corresponding department giving them precedence in the making ip of the personnel of the administration. The same will hold with the soldiers in

All authorities and commanders shall do all that is in their power to maintain order within their purisdiction and discipline among the troops. The insignia of the revolutionary troops, or, as they shall be called, 'constiutionalis.s,' shall be a red band on the

lat or on the left arm. taxes, and to restore the free zone along

AUTO FRACTURES SKULL OF MRS. C. C. McCHORD

Nuevo Leon, Coahuila and Tamaulipas.

Wife of Interstate Commerce Commissioner Spends Christmas in Hospital as Result of Mishap.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., December 25 .-Mrs. C. C. McChord, injured Satur ay afternoon when run down in a crowded street by an automobile delivery wagen, is spending Christmas in a hospital bel instead of with friends, as she and her usband, member of the interstate commerce commission, had planned to

improved, but not out of danger. Edward Fennell of Louisville, was cross-

uniform, probably nine-tenths recovering. While of placing young men at the head of at fifty and over a large majority of all cases the various naval bureaus, with a view guest of the Georgia Peace Society. yield to the treatment, below fifty and approach to modernizing and improving the Henry Watterson, veteran editor of the ing forty the disease gets more stubborn, and methods of business, the impression Louisville Courier-Journal, delivered his between thirty and forty the percentage is not prevails that Admiral Hollyday's age address on world-wide peace here yesterhigh-probably not much over half yielding. Under thirty the percentage is less, and in ment. children recoveries have been very few, and stricted to the Corps of Civil En- At the conclusion of the address resources of those were obtained with the aid of skilled physicians foreing nutrition, with alkaline treatment to prevent formation of acctones. Some state of those were obtained with the aid of a change is determined upon that a tration treaties proposed by President younger member of that corps will be Taft, and calling upon the Senate to

Jas. O'Donnell's, 904 F st. n.w. We desire every patient to write us who is partment, and Lieut. Commander Leon- Staunton, Va., has notified all the liquor not noting the usual improvement by the third and M. Cox, in charge of public works men that he will revoke their license

HEARTS MADE GLAD

Joys of Christmas Brighten Lives of the Destitute.

WORK OF LOCAL MISSIONS

Turkey and Other Toothsome Edibles Dispensed With Liberal Hand-Day in Washington.

Christmas cheer and glad tidings, impses of glittering trees laden with uits and gifts; baskets and steaming ishes came to brighten the lives of hunireds of destitute men, women and children today at the Central Union Mission,

ed before the Missions and cups of coffee lothing necessary to keep out the chilly

scene when 100 destitute men at the mis rey could find. They brough hem from the alleys to the mission from top to bottom with blazing candles are a heavy crop of fruits and candies 100 miles from here not a child left without a present sterly direction toward the some sort. Back of the little scene that Bernardo Reyes is being was enacted was a firm resolve on the part of many of the men, widely sepa of one of many scouting least one child happy on future Christ which have been scouring the mas days in memory of their own chil

Christmas Service at '11 O'Clock.

There was a Christmas service at 1 clock, led by Rev. F. J. Lukens, the taining turkey, vegetables, fruits and Another revolutionary proclamation other good things were given away by bearing the signature of Gen. Bernardo the score and the managers and workers Reyes is being widely circulated in spent the busiest Christmas day in their

to have been issued at Soledad, state and a reception to the friends of the mission in the board room from 2 to 5 o'clock January 1. A watch service will be held in the evening and continu-ous New Year day services from noon At the Salvation Army home there was

another glad scene and hundreds of the ity's poor left the home with hearts nappy and appetites appeased. Christmas dinners in baskets were given away to 2,000 poor people by the 9 o'clock in the morning, at 465 11th street northwest. hour named, a hungry crowd was waithardly sufficed for the handling of the one of these tickets before he could get a basket, in order that only the de ervscribe to this platform shall continue to ing persons might benefit. The ha kets contained, each, one chicken, potatoes, turnips, corn, celery, rice, milk, coaee, ugar, bread, apples and oranges-en uga of each for a regular Christmas feast.

Glad Carols a Feature.

Services were held by the Salvation Army yesterday at 10:30 o'clock in the morning, 3:45 o'clock in the afternoon and T e president ad interim and the 8 o'clock at night. The Salvation Army state au norities who convoke elections singers rendered Christmas carols and music was also furnished by the Welsh name a substitute in case he should be quartet. Maj. and Mrs. William Escott. called out of the territory by the neces- divisional officers, were in charge of the exercises. Addresses were made by Maj. Irvings, Adjt. Brazier and Ensign Goel-

This morning a program was given by the army singers, and the hall at 930 Pennsylvania avenue was crowded. Gospel Mission began its day of spreading Christmas cheer early in the morning. men recruited. Officers and commanders when a line of about 120 persons formed in front of the mission house, 214 John Marshall place northwest. At noon a substantial turkey dinner was given to several hundred poor men, women and

> hundreds of little guests, for a big Christfore, greeted their eyes.

Superintendent Extends Welcome.

The revolution promises the revision come the youngsters, and handed each ships to Paraguayan waters, the comthe stamp law, the moderation of boy and girl a present. There was a glad manders of which, at the request of the greeting and clapping of joyous hands. diplomatic corps, have given notification Gen. Geronimo Trevino has asked the The children represented the families that that they will not permit the bombardwar department to relieve him of this the missionaries of the mission had visit- ment of Asuncion or other fortified ed on their trips to the poorer districts. places. The tree was laden with toys and candy, and each child received articles of needed

> Christmas day will be closed with services in the evening, conducted by Supt. Kline, who will make an address. lar morning affair, and \$2 will supply headed by Dr. Emiliano Gonzales Naenough coffee and bread for 100 hungry | vero.

SECRETARY OF THE NAVY TO CHOOSE BUREAU CHIEF

Possible Reappointment of Rear Ad- ernment to hope that an arrangement is miral Hollyday to Charge of

Docks and Yards.

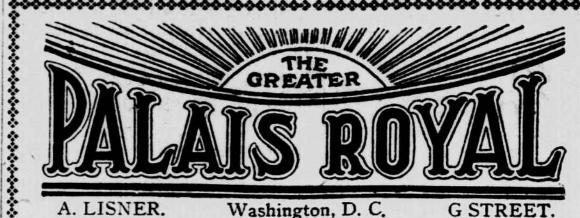
Secretary Meyer shortly will have decide whether Rear Admiral R. C. Brings \$1,000,000 From Alaska. Mrs. McChord, it was ascertained later. Hollyday of the Corps of Civil En- DENVER, Col., December 25 .-- After suffered a fracture of the skull. Her gineers shall be reappointed chief of twolve years in Alaska, Frank Hirpich physicians today said she was somewhat the naval bureau of yards and docks of Fairbanks returned yesterday, bringfor a second term of four years or ing securities representing over \$1,000,-Mrs. McChord, in company with Mrs. whether some other officer of the naval 600. ing the street, and neither was able to establishment shall be placed at the "I said I would make it, and here it is, get out of the way of the vehicle. Mrs. head of that bureau for the ensuing Now we will have a good Christmas din-Fennell was more seriously hurt, it is four years. Rear Admiral Hollyday ner," was his comment. Charles Morrison, driver, is under arrest, charged among other things, with drunkenness.

Was appointed to the bureau position April 19, 1907, but was not actually commissioned until the commissioned and the commissioned arrest actually related to the bureau position. commissioned until January 14, 1908. It is held at the Navy Department that his term of four years does not expire until January 14 next.

Stands at Head of List.

The admiral is a native of Maryland, and was appointed a civil engineer in From late figures the hope of recovery under the navy in March, 1894. He is the His Audience of 7,000 Persons Inthe new emollient treatment seems to be about oldest officer of the corps and stands at the head of the list. Because of In people of sixty and over results are quite the policy adopted by Secretary Meyer

Although the appointment is not re- persons. The new emollient treatment is known as Ful- selected. With that idea in view Lieut. ratify them. ton's Diabetic Compound. It can be had at Commander Andrew C. Cunningham, inspector of public works, Navy De-



Closed Today.

To friends, patrons and co-workers



Beginning Tomorrow Morning

The Annual Pre-Inventory Sale.

The annual stock-taking occurs January 1. Beginning tomorrow morning strenuous efforts will be made to dispose of all broken lots before "the First." It's so easy to count dollars; it's such a task to classify and count goods, especially "broken lots." So, beginning tomorrow morning, a sale will begin that may be worth the reader's while to attend.

Few Details Can Be Given.

With the building crowded from basement to roof, from store opening to store closing, on Saturday, no opportunity was afforded to glean details. Is it not enough to state that the Greater Palais Royal is to be transformed—and that the vast Christmas Bazaar of Saturday is to become normal before next



Corsets at the Year's Least Prices.

The styles of 1912—certainly for the winter months-will be no different than now. The custom here will not be changed \$\% because of this feature in your favor-and the usual end-of-the-year bargains will be offered, beginning tomorrow morning.

sets, at \$5.00; samples of \$5.50 to \$10.00 La Prein one style or \$3.29 another; to be

Lot 2-Includes samples of Princess Corsets, sizes from 18 to 26. Reduced from \$1.89

Lot 1-Includes Sam- Lot 3-R. & G., C. B. ples of \$12.50 Fasso Cor- and other popular makes of \$1 Corsets will be found in this lot; all miere Corsets; all sizes season. Reduced 590 the best styles of the to

Lot 4-Includes the well known De Bevoise Brassieres, trimmed with superior laces and embroidery; were \$1.00 and \$1.25. Re- 89c

HERE'S another kind of sale that our army of regular patrons look forward to every year—the clearing sale of old-year lingerie.

This year we count six thousand seven hundred and forty-two garments. Regular patrons know them, and will, as usual, gladly profit by the reduced prices. If the reader is not yet a Palais Royal follower, she is asked to be a very critical visitor, because many of the garments will seem quite disreputable at first glance, being mussed and tumbled. A closer inspection will demonstrate the qualities, the styles and the making, when the prices will seem ridiculously little. They are-being considerably less than the cost of materials alone. Offered in eight lots.

Lot 1, 25c. Some Were 50c.

Lot 2, 44c. Some Were \$1.00.

Lot 3, 69c. Some Were \$1.50.

Lot 4, 94c. Some Were \$2.25.

Lot 5, \$1.33. Some Were \$2.50.

Lot 6, \$1.79. Some Were \$3.98.

Lot 7, \$2.29. Some Were \$4.50.

Lot 8, \$2 98. Some Were \$5.00.

To Be \$1.33.

Some Were \$2.50.

Tomorrow's visitors will find many of the most attractive of the well known \$2.50 Combination Suits, Gowns and Skirts on this third floor table-at only \$1.33 for choice.

> Corset Covers Only 25c.

Many of the well known 50c Covers -and a few that were 75c -- to be only 25c for choice.



A. LISNER.

CLOSED TODAY.

All at 69c.

Some Were \$1.50.

Very few \$1.50 garments -they'll be quickly absorbed by tomorrow's morning visitors.

Is it not enough to promise the Palais Royal's Famous \$1.00 Lingerie of 1911 at only 69c?

While not all sizes are here in any one style, the many lots combined create all sizes in one style or another. On first floor table-Lot No. 3.



Children's Undergarments, 10c to \$1.50.

Were 15c to \$2.50.



Smallest to 14-year size, in gowns, skirts, waists and drawers. When the Palais Royal's well known superior fitting and best made undergarments for children are reduced to as little as 10c and no more than \$1 50, then we know the clearing sale will be of short duration. Anxious that old friends and patrons be not disappointed an early visit is suggested. When on this third floor please also ask to see the children's cloth coats, dresses and hats. Learn of the reduced prices.

\$1 and \$2

Worth Up to \$5.00.

The samples of the spring styles of 1912 are here from all the leading makers of the United All those made to retail up to

\$5.00 are to be included in these lots. At \$1.00-on third floor. At \$2.00-on first floor. Note that the new Waists have fitted-in armholes and that some

are daintily hand-embroidered. Every style from plain tailored to the most elaborate ling. ie effects. The new Mannish Shirts, with

soft turnover collar and cuffs, are here-samples from the Weil-Ramsey Co., noted for men's



PARAGUAYAN CAPITAL Landmark Will Be Absorbed by the down. This will bring to an end the long fight between two papers, which SURROUNDED BY REBELS NORFOLK, Va., December 25.—It is understood here that announcement will be made in the papers here Wednesday long on ever since the Landmark was purchased by Charles S. Abell of Baltimore, about eighteen months ago. Mr. Abell, after long negotiation, died after a short illness. Virginian-Pilot January 1.

IN SHAPE ?

Provisional President Rojas Sends Bishop to Negotiate for Peace.

PARIS, December 25 .- Paraguayan advices to the Temps say that the revolu-The children's exercises were held at 3 tionaries have been making considerable clock in the afternoon. When the doors progress throughout the republic, and the big assembly hall were thrown that as a consequence the provisional open there was a gasp of surprise from president, Liberato Rojas, has called up mas tree, such as they had never seen be- all the national guard and the reserves between the ages of seventeen and fifty.

The revolutionists have now completely surrounded Asuncion, the capital. Supt. H. W. Kline was on hand to wel- Brazil and Argentina have sent war-

Sues for Peace.

The government has sent the Bishop of Asunsion to negotiate peace terms with the revolutionary committee, which he line of applicants for food is a regu- has organized a provisional government,

> At Pilar, on the Paraguay river, about 112 miles from Asuncion, the revolutionbought from the Belgians. These are pelieved to be the vessels which it was reported recently were intended for the ortuguese royalists. It is reported that there are dissensions among the rebels, which leads the gov-

RETURNS WITH A FORTUNE.

After Twelve Years' Absence Man

valuable mining claims. He brought an English wife home with him. Owing to the infrequent mails he was several times mourned as dead by his relatives in Denver.

WATTERSON URGES PEACE.

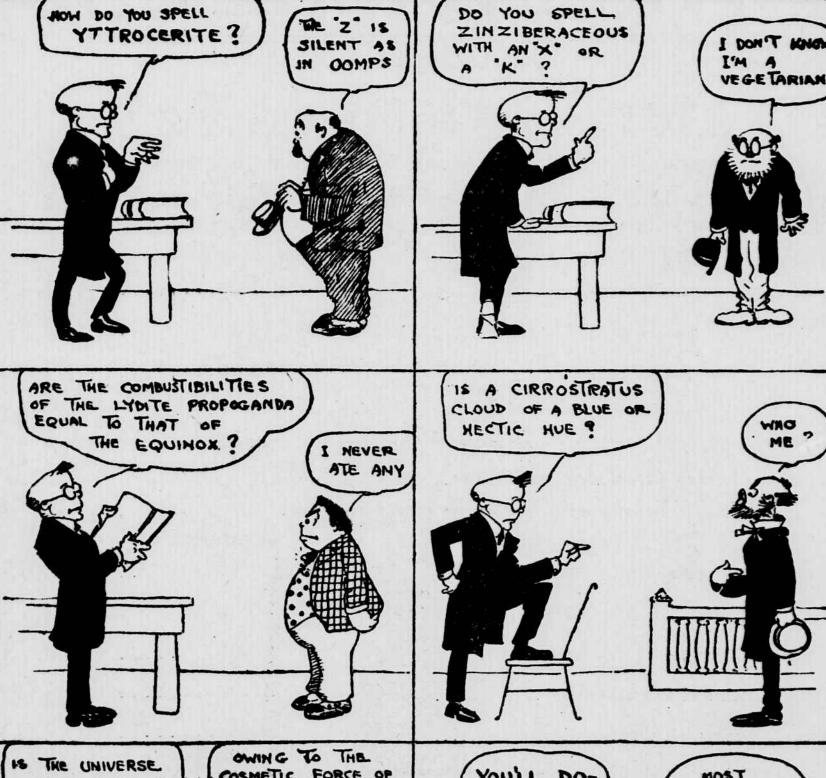
dorses Arbitration Treaties. ATLANTA, Ga., December 25 .- As the may militate against his reappoint- day afternoon before an audience of 7,000

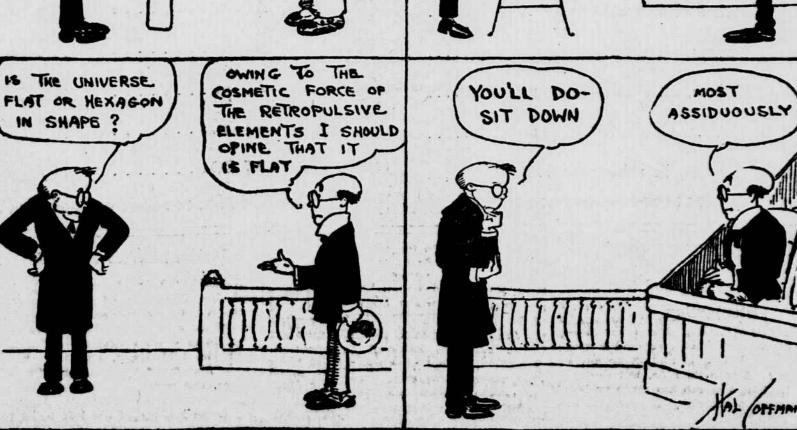
week. Always state age. Literature mailed at the navy yard in Norfolk, are free. Jno. J. Fulton Co., 645 Battery st., San frequently mentioned in the list of Francisco, Cal. We javite correspondence with those from which the selection may be made.

NORFOLK PAPERS TO MERGE.

or Thursday morning that the Virginian- accepted the Pilot's terms some time Pilot will absorb the Landmark and since. The entire force of the Landmark, that the latter plant will be closed it will not be needed after December

Picking a Beef Trust Jury. By HAL COFFMAN.





AS STEEL SPAN FALLS

Fatal Accident While Wooden Trestle Over Creek Is Being Replaced.

CAMDEN, N. J., December 25 .- Two | Springs, light, for St. Clements bay to men were killed and seven others load oysters in the shell back to this seriously injured while placing a gir- city; flattie Jumping Jack, light, for der across Cooper creek, on the Med- the lower river oyster beds to load for ford branch of the West Jersey and Seashore railroad yesterday near Had-

donfield, N. J. The dead are Clarence Suiters and William Carey, both of Camden. The injured are George W. Moore, Glassboro; Ellis Hand, Camden; Joseph Regan, Atco; Perry Ferrill, Glassboro; J. H. McQuigg, Camden; John C. Carpenter, Woodbury; Charles Conson

Plan to Replace Wooden Trestle.

Right beyond the curve which forms the junction of the Medford branch tug Southern is reported on her way and the Atlantic City railroad, below Haddonfield station, a tributary of Cooper creek flows through a ravine from the James river; schooner Avaabout eighty-five feet below the railroad. A wooden trestle bridge has spanned the creek at this point, and the railroad company determined to here. replace it with a concrete arch, filling it with earth above it until the embankment reached the level of the artificial embankment upon which the rathroad runs across the entire ravine. The old wooden structure is said to have been in bad shape for several days past, and work was rushed on the new structure yesterday, when traffic would not be interfered with. The last train passed the old bridge at 9:36 o'clock yesterday morning, southbound, and there was no other due until 4:47 p.m., northbound.

Steel Span Gives Way.

A temporary steel span, carrying the track, and weighing about forty-five tons, was placed in position by the side of the old bridge, mounted on wooden supports and rollers.

As soon as the 9:36 train had passed the workmen proceeded to cut the rails and to tear away the structure underneath. When this had been done they proceeded to roll the steel span into place. Suiters, Carey and two other men, it is said, were on the span while the other workmen were below. As the great mass of steel began to move into place it suddenly gave way and crashed to the creek below. Suiters and Carey saw the accident coming and tried to jump, but were too late, and were dashed to instant death. One of the other men managed to leap safely to the embankment, while the rest were carried down in the debris.

ALONG THE RIVER FRONT.

Arrivals.

Steamship Ragnarock, Norwegian plaster rock from Nova Scotia, at Alexandria for the Fertilizer and Chemical Company; power barge Louisa, lumber and cord wood from Nomini creek for the dealers here; schooner Winnie Windsor, oysters in the shell for the market at the 11th street wharf: District tug General War-ren, with a tow of lighters from workhouse at Occoquan, Va.; tug Capt. Toby, light, from Potomac creek, where she delivered a barge; schooner

Grape Shot, oysters from the Potoma beds for the market here; tug Rosalie at Alexandria, with a tow of sand and gravel laden lighters from digging grounds near Bryans point; tugs J. O Carter and E. S. Booth, from Alexandria improvement work to lay up unti-

oyster-laden vessels from the mouth Departures.

tomorrow; tug Camilla, with a tow of

Schooner Bessie Ford, light, for a lower river point to load back to this city; flattie Annie, light, from Alexan dria for the lower river to load back to this port; power boat Daisy, from Alexandria for Piscataway creek, Md. with merchandise; power boat River

the market here. Memoranda.

Schooner Mary Ann Shea is in Aquia creek to load lumber or wood back to this city; Standard Oil Company barge No. 52 is at Baltimore from this city to load oil in bulk back to this city schooner Lewis Worrell has arrived in Mattox creek to lay up for the holidays; schooner Golden, light, is at a lower river point to load oysters in the shell for the market here; schooner William T. Parker is at New York loading cement for the market here to this city with three coal-laden barges in tow; schooner Robert Bratton is due at this city with lumber lon is at a lower river point to load for the market here; schooner Samuel

Phone Your "Want Ads" to The Star

Wood, has sailed from the St. Marys

river with cord wood for the dealer



For the convenience of telephone subscribers "Want Ads" may be telephoned to The Star. The bill will be mailed at once and must be paid within 10 days.